

STONE &amp; THOMAS.

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## Closing Out All Books.

On account of lack of room the book department will be discontinued until the completion of our new building, and the present stock must be closed out within the next three weeks. Prices like these will do the work.

All \$1.50 Copyright Books.....	90c
All \$1.25 Copyright Books.....	75c
All \$1.00 Copyright Books.....	60c
50c Boys and Girls Copyright Books.....	35c
25c Cloth Bound Library Books, Gilt Tops.....	18c
18c Cloth Bound Books, 300 titles, each.....	11c
10c Paper Novels.....	5c
25c Handy Volume Edition of the Classics.....	14c
25c Handy Volume Classics.....	18c
\$1.25 Elsie Books for Girls.....	59c
About 200 pound packages fine Linen and Bond Writing Papers, sold at 25c and 25c pound, to be closed out at.....	12c

## CLEARANCE SALE OF DOMESTICS.

200 pieces Cheese Cloth, all colors, per yard.....	34c
Best Outing Cloth, including plain colors, per yard.....	6c
Best quality Dark Prints, per yard.....	34c
About 5 pairs Sham Pillows to be closed out at pair.....	\$1.48
Lot of about 5 pairs 7-pound Feather Pillows to be closed out at pair.....	\$1.00
Best Chambray Gingham, all colors, per yard.....	10c
100 pairs largest size Cotton Blankets, that sold at 95c, to be closed out at pair.....	72c
15 pieces Dark Flannelettes at yard.....	64c

## New Wall Papers for 1900.

Now ready for inspection. Attention is called to our showing of Fine Specialty Papers, embracing Silks and Stripes, Brocatelles, Tapestries, Natural color Florals, etc.—50 designs of each. Mouldings to match all papers; also with Plate and Photo Rails. Special attention is given to decorating rooms in the very latest eastern style. Complete assortment of all the lower priced papers, all colors—5c per roll and up. Out-of-town agents wanted to handle our line. Write for sample book.

THE PASSION PLAY  
Continued This Week.

Performances daily at 10:30 a. m., 2:30 and 4:00 p. m. A free ticket with every 25c purchase or over. PLEASE NOTE—Parents wishing their children to come are requested to send them in the morning, as in the afternoon the crowd is so great there is not room enough to accommodate them.

## STONE &amp; THOMAS.

GEO. M. SNOOK &amp; CO.

First 1900  
Linen Sale.  
Mill Ends of  
Bleached Table  
Linens.

At 48c yard, worth 75c yard.  
At 69c yard, worth \$1.00 yard.  
At 89c yard, worth \$1.25 yard.

Come in 2, 2½ and 3-yard lengths. They're new, clean, fine, wide, pretty. You'll want some at these prices, which mean a saving of about ONE-THIRD.

## Our Linen Stock

is immense—"Immense" is the correct word here. Our prices are right, as you will observe; they mean a saving of at least ONE-FOURTH. Just EIGHTY styles from which to choose.

56-inch Pure Table Damask, Bleached and Unbleached.....	50c yd.
62-inch Pure Table Damask, Bleached.....	60c yd.
72-inch Pure Table Damask, Unbleached.....	60c yd.
64-inch Pure Table Damask, Half Bleached.....	62½c yd.
72-inch Pure Table Damask, Bleached.....	85c yd.
72-inch Pure Table Damask, Silver Bleach.....	85c yd.
72-inch Pure Table Damask, Satin Bleach.....	\$1.00 yd.
Also at.....	\$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75 and \$2.25 yd.

These Are Made of  
Best Terrycloth:

Unbleached Terry Towels, 23x51.....	25c
Unbleached Terry Towels, 20x52.....	12½c
Bleached Terry Towels, Fringed, 20x48.....	15c
Bleached Terry Towels, Hemmed, 20x40.....	20c
Bleached Terry Towels, Knotted Fringe, 28x52.....	50c
Bleached Terry Bath Sheets, 48x73.....	\$1.25 Each
Wash Cloths, finished all around, size 11-inch.....	34c
Size 14-inch.....	5c
Bleached Terry Cloth, 22 inches wide.....	25c yd.
Bleached Terry Cloth, 16 inches wide.....	15c yd.
Unbleached Terry Cloth, 17 inches wide.....	12½c yd.

## Space Prevents

mention of the many items of interest in this great department. Come in and get our prices on Colored Table Linens, Linen Towels and Toweling, Napkins, Bed Spreads, Sheets, Pillow Cases, Bolsters, Table Faddings and Fancy Hemstitched Drawn Work Linen Pieces in many shapes and styles. Stockinet Sheets, 18x24, 27½x36 and 36x60.

Geo. M.  
Snook & Co.

NAY BROTHERS—SHOES.

NAY BROS.'  
Cut Sale

NOW ON.

ALL-MEN'S  
Winter Shoes

Must be moved at once if price will do it.

\$5.00 Shoes go at	\$3.98
4.00 Shoes go at	3.20
3.50 Shoes go at	2.90
3.00 Shoes go at	2.40
2.50 Shoes go at	1.97

Don't wait until next week, thinking you can be fitted. Come to-day, while we have your size.

1317 Market St.

## The Intelligencer

Office: 25 and 27 Fourteenth Street.

New Advertisements.  
Umbrellas—McFadden's—Second page.  
The System of Learning—Mutual Savings Bank—Fifth page.  
Tickets to and from Europe—H. F. Behrens Company.  
Agents Wanted.  
Hymen—R. T. Booth Co.—Second page.  
Fresh Star Hams and Bacon—Albert Stolz & Co.  
For Rent—James L. Hawley.  
Money to Loan—Rolf & Zart.  
Stocks for Sale—Simpson & Tatum.  
For Sale—Howard Haxlett & Son.  
For Sale—G. O. Smith.  
Stopped—R. H. List.  
Ohio County Republican Club.  
For Sale—Norton & Co.

20,000.  
We have fitted more than twenty thousand pairs of Spectacles, giving us a record and experience unequalled by any other optician in West Virginia. Satisfaction guaranteed.  
JACOB W. GRUBB, Optician.  
No. 1308 Market Street.

## THE BEST

## All Wool Knit Jackets and Office Coats at C. Hess &amp; Sons.

For comfort and durability there is nothing better. They are just the thing for Butchers, Brewers, Mechanics and Office Workers. Prices moderate.

C. HESS & SONS,  
Fashionable Tailors and Furnishers,  
1321 and 1323 Market St.

## BRIEF MENTIONINGS.

## Events in and About the City Given in a Nutshell.

Opera House to-night—"The Three Musketeers."  
Grand to-night—"Dodge's Trip to New York."

The Ohio county farmers meet in Elm Grove February 20 and 21.

The "Dewey Day" fund has reached \$2,207. It may reach \$2,500.

The German-Americans evidently are admirers of Admiral Dewey.

Frank Gardner's fourteen-month-old babe died at his home, on the South Side, yesterday, after a brief illness.

At a meeting of the Grocers' Protective Association last night they resolved to close at 11 o'clock on "Dewey Day."

Revival services are being held at the Wesley M. E. church, on the South Side, and many conversions are being made.

The Kenmore club will dance at their club rooms, on the South Side, this evening. Prof. Walter Nolte will furnish music for the occasion.

"Jephthah and His Daughter" will be repeated at the Third Presbyterian church this evening, for the benefit of those who were unable to gain admission Saturday night.

To-morrow morning, at the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Francis J. Hildebrand, of Benwood, will be united in marriage to Miss Mary Elgass. Mr. and Mrs. Hildebrand will reside on the South Side.

Yesterday afternoon, before Justice Greer, three warrants were issued for the arrest of George C. Laue. Laue is charged by his wife with drunkenness, profanity and breach of the peace. His arrest will likely follow to-day.

Council meets this evening in regular session. It is said the new telephone company, the one in which Senator Elkins is said to be interested, will be before the body as an applicant for a franchise. The National company's ordinance, favorably recommended by the committee on ordinances, will also come before council. The refund election officers will be confirmed.

On next Friday evening the lady friends of the members of the Majestic club will graciously undertake to entertain them at their commodious quarters, on Main street. The evening will be devoted to cards and dancing. Prof. Kilmeyer's deft fingers will tickle the piano keys for the occasion. At midnight a sumptuous repast will be served by Held, the caterer, at his cafe, on Market street. There will be thirty couples present.

Yesterday morning, about 6 o'clock, a Pole, named Pozinsky, while walking along the Baltimore and Ohio tracks, at Forty-eighth street, was struck by an engine, and knocked down. Pozinsky was on his way to work at the coal mines, at Bogg's Run, and did not see the engine on account of the darkness. The wheels passed over both his hands, severing three fingers on the right hand and part of the left hand. He has also a deep gash on the right side of his forehead, where he was struck by the engine. Dr. Meyers was summoned, and had him removed to the Haskins hospital.

## Real Estate Committee.

The council committee on real estate met last night and considered the equalization of rents on the "city commons," on Wheeling hill, and decided on the following rates: On Alley C, from Tenth to Ninth streets, 70 cents per front foot; all property north of Ninth street, 55 cents; on Chapline street, 50 cents; on Market street, \$1 per foot front. The committee also decided to ask council to appropriate \$800 for repairs in the basement of the city building. The members present were Messrs. Healy, Fair, Knoke and Scalley.

## A Small Blaze.

Yesterday morning at 7:30 an alarm of fire was rung in from Box 63, calling the department to the house occupied by the O'Conor family, at 3743 Chapline street. They occupy the second floor of the residence and had pasted paper over a hole in the chimney. The down stairs family started a fire in the stove on the lower floor and the flames caught the paper over the flue. This in turn ignited the paper on the wall. The department quenched the blaze before any damage could be done.

B. SCARLOTT, fruit tree agent, arrived in Wheeling yesterday. P. O. address, 511 North Market street.

BRADLEY'S  
RESPECTS  
TO IRWIN.

The Ex-Governor of Kentucky Has Something to Say on the Wheeling Man's Interview

## HE WAS CALLED A "BLACKLEG"

In the Recent Interview in the News, Which Mr. Irwin Has Not Disavowed.

The interview of the Democratic sheriffally aspirant, Will W. Irwin, in the Sunday News of February 4, in which, among other uncomplimentary things he had to say of Republican leaders in Kentucky, he called ex-Governor William O. Bradley a "blackleg," is still a topic of discussion throughout the county, and the Republicans who were under the impression that Mr. Irwin was a liberal, broad-gauge sort of Democrat have come to the conclusion that they were mistaken in their man. Republican leaders assert Irwin's strength has been cut into to such an extent—through this interview—that he will not be a dangerous opponent to the Republican candidate for sheriff, and that the Republican votes he will receive are few and far between. Some of the Democrats also admit that their coming sheriffally candidate has committed an egregious political blunder.

In this connection, the Intelligencer is permitted to reproduce a letter just received by a Wheeling acquaintance of ex-Governor Bradley, in which he pays his respects to Mr. Irwin, and quite unnecessarily cites reasons to indicate that the Wheeling man knew not whereof he talked. The letter is as follows:

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Feb. 10, 1900.  
My Dear Sir:—I don't know Mr. Irwin, and never heard of him before, and am sure, after reading the clippings you send that he doesn't know me, and never heard of me before.  
I was twice nominated for governor, the first time in 1887, reducing the plurality on governorship race of 1883 (some 44,000) to less than 11,000 in 1887.  
I cannot afford to enter into a controversy with one so lost to all sense of truth as this creature Irwin, concerning my career. There was not a Republican county in Kentucky which gave Taylor a majority greater than the number of voters in said county. The majorities were in the same proportion on average as heretofore, and in no county did more persons vote than are shown on the assessors' books.  
His statement as to the town of London is false in nearly every particular—the town has good hotels, and is a peaceable, quiet town, nor is it one of the feud seats of the state.  
The statement as to delay in sending in the returns is false.  
The fact that I have been nominated three times for Congress, sent to three national conventions as delegate from the state at large, endorsed three times for United States senator, nominated twice and elected once governor, should be sufficient evidence also as to the character of the creature who assails it.  
(Signed) W. O. BRADLEY.

PERSONAL NOTES.  
Going and Coming of Wheeling People and Visitors.

The coffee she serves  
In a pot that is quaint.  
But it gets on my nerves—  
It would madden a saint;  
It is muddy and cold  
And so weak it is faint;  
My cup could not hold  
Much more grounds for complaint.  
—Chicago Record.

L. A. Brenneman, of Sistersville, was in the city yesterday.

I. H. Gaston was a St. Clairsville, O., caller in the city yesterday.

J. B. Knott, of Mannington, was a guest at the Stamm yesterday.

J. S. Zimmerman, of Romney, W. Va., was a McClure arrival yesterday.

T. A. Anderson, of Sistersville, was in the city on business yesterday.

C. M. Root, of St. Mary's, was a business caller in the city yesterday.

F. C. H. Schwertfeger, of Stille's is in Washington on a business trip.

James Flanagan, of Grafton, was registered at the Grand Central yesterday.

Mrs. Frank Gillies, of Forty-eighth street, is very ill. Her sickness is caused by the infirmities of old age.

Rev. Schweickhardt leaves to-day for Cleveland, Ohio, where he goes to assume the pastorate of a congregation.

On the Stamm register yesterday were Mrs. S. P. Leasure, Mrs. J. B. Hackberry and Mrs. P. A. Shaner, all of Sistersville.

Mrs. William Hall, of Twenty-seventh street, South Side, is improving slowly after a serious illness, but is not yet out of danger.

George Anderson, the well known puddler of the South Side, left for Pittsburgh yesterday to accept a position at that place.

Mr. Henry Ott Stealey has just returned from Washington, D. C., where he has been spending the past week visiting friends.

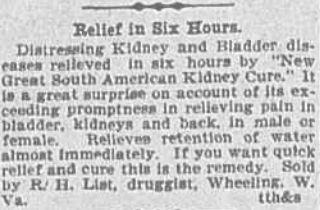
West Virginians on the Nichols register yesterday were: W. L. Riggs, Ravin Rock; W. H. Beckel, Parkersburg; T. B. Hamilton, Hundred; D. Duvau, Mannington.

The following West Virginians were registered at the Windsor yesterday: J. C. Helden, Mingo; S. S. Goodhue, Parkersburg; E. B. Koen, St. Mary's; C. V. Windsor, Fairmont.

## Relief in Six Hours.

Distressing Kidney and Bladder diseases relieved in six hours by "New Great South American Kidney Cure." It is a great surprise on account of its exceeding promptness in relieving pain in bladder, kidneys and back, in male or female. Relieves retention of water almost immediately. If you want quick relief and cure this is the remedy. Sold by R. H. List, druggist, Wheeling, W. Va.

IF business men and merchants consult their best interests they will advertise in the Intelligencer.



When you feel that you have tried everything and everyone, consult us. A daily occurrence is the surprise shown by the benefited patients at our office.  
Do you have headache? Do your eyes water? Do they smart or burn? Does the print run together when reading?  
For any trouble of your eyes consult us. We make glasses at popular prices. Make a careful examination free of charge.

## PROF. H. SHEEF,

The Scientific Optician.....

Cor. Main and Eleventh Sts.

THE HUB CLOTHIERS.

## Pushing for Room.

Already the new arrivals for spring are pushing for room. Our purchases made five and six months ago for the present spring have been over double those ever before made. Double the space will be required to house this mammoth stock. So as to make room and make it quick, we shall continue our great discount sale during this week. Lots of odds and ends have been added during stock taking, which will be sold at half former prices.

COME WITHOUT DELAY.  
YOUR OPPORTUNITY IS NOW.

Money Back Whenever You Say So.

## THE HUB,

STRICTLY ONE PRICE.

Clothing, Hatters, Furnishers.

MARKET AND FOURTEENTH STREETS.

BAER'S CLOTHING HOUSE.

Before Our  
Clearance Sale Ends

You can turn this way for the greatest value for the least money.

We haven't spared the quality, but offer free choice from our regular \$10 and \$12 Suits for only..... \$7.50

And our regular \$13, \$14 and \$15 Suits for only..... \$9.00

You can't afford to pass by this saving. We make this sweeping reduction to effect a prompt clearance of all high-grade Suits in our stock.

Every Overcoat remaining on our tables we will sell this way:

All \$10.00 to \$13.00 Overcoats for..... \$7.50

And all \$15.00 to \$20.00 Overcoats for..... \$10.00

Not philanthropy, but house cleaning. Our Shirt Sale will be continued for another week, selling \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50 values at..... 68c

## LEE BAER,

The Twelfth Street Clothier.

The Greatest  
Battle in History

is momentarily expected to take place in the vicinity of Ladysmith between the Britons and Boers. The Daily Intelligencer

## Atlas of Two Wars

tells all about the country in which war is now raging. It contains special information and statistics directly bearing on the wars in South Africa and the Philippines that cannot be found in any other book. The Intelligencer Atlas of Two Wars can be had at the Intelligencer Office, 27 Fourteenth street, at 10 cents a copy, or by mail on receipt of 13 cents. Send United States coin. Address "Atlas Department."

## DAILY INTELLIGENCER,

27 Fourteenth St., . . . Wheeling, W. Va.

LOCKE SHOE CO.

## Foot Protection

is the best kind for you to adhere to at this season of the year if you want good health. Rapidly changing weather breeds colds and pneumonia as surely as warm, dry feet protects you against these diseases. It will cost you very little money, not more than \$2.50, to retain your good health if you will let us furnish the shoes.

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